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In compliance with 37 C.F.R §1.56 and in accordance with 37 C.F.R §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that single reference

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listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A be made of record in this application. A copy of the reference is provided herewith.

This reference is being made of record in support of Applicants' arguments against the Examiner's rejection of the claims as being anticipated by the cited reference of Adelman, et al.

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